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**JULY 30  
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AUG. 31.**

## THE BEAVERDAM ASSOCIATION.

Splendid Session Held at Shiloh--  
Next Session at Walhalla.

Shiloh Baptist church, in Anderson county, is situated near the Savannah river, some twelve miles southwest of the city of Anderson, in a prosperous and progressive farming community. The Shiloh community is thickly settled with the very best people, and is traversed by a well graded and worked country road, to ride over which is a pleasure.

Your scribe left Walhalla on the early morning train at 7 o'clock, ran down to Anderson, and thence to Shiloh in an automobile, arriving at the church before 10 o'clock, where he was entertained for a while in the beautiful shady grove and shook hands with the people as they came in. We found at the church that the good people were glad to greet us, and they opened both their doors and hearts to us and treated us in grand style. With buggies, carriages and automobiles these good people met us, ready to convey us to and from their homes, where they and their wives fed us with many good things. Your scribe had been the best one down there. Mrs. McCurry was a Miss Burris, a daughter of Grandmother Burris, the step-mother of our own beloved Mrs. H. M. Barton, of Fair Play. Mr. McCurry is a nephew of Dr. J. L. McCurry, formerly of Fair Play, and Col. Asbury McCurry, of Hartwell, Ga. We were delighted to be with these old acquaintances and they showed that they remembered your correspondent by their most royal treatment. With them was also our townsmen, C. F. Hetrick, E. W. Grubbs and W. W. Burley.

At the church were many familiar faces of Oconee's best Baptist church workers, ready to organize the association and get to work, reviewing the last year's work and devising ways and means to carry forward the church work for the next year. An organization was soon perfected by the election of Rev. L. M. Lyda, of Walhalla, as moderator; J. Eustace Hopkins, of Seneca, clerk, and Jas. G. Breazeale, of Westminster, treasurer. The constitution of the body had been so changed the year before at Westminster that the organization was soon easily effected and choice men selected. The association went immediately to work, and the business of the session was soon well in hand, and the many subjects for consideration by the association put before it.

The work was begun by calling for the report of the executive committee, which was read by T. M. Elrod, secretary of this committee. After due consideration of the report a resolution was proposed and adopted instructing the incoming executive committee to take into consideration such steps as may be thought wise, looking to the organization of the churches in the association into fields where each group might be assisted in locating resident pastors, whose whole time may be devoted to the people of his churches. This forming of several churches into pastorates would, in the opinion of the association, make many of our country churches strong, influential and efficient in the Master's work. The association readily realized that this body has no inherent right to dictate to any church who it shall call as its pastor, nor with what other church it shall affiliate, and it does not intend to try to dictate. The only object of this undertaking is to try to get churches into sympathy with those other churches with whom they might unite until each shall have grown strong enough to stand by itself, and thus, while growing, do better work for its own people and at the same time be of assistance to others and have a good minister located in the midst of all.

It developed that there was not a church in the association that had preaching every Sunday in the month, and only a few that employed a pastor for half his time. It is the fond hope of the association, by the grouping of churches, to increase the efficiency of the individual church and give the people better church advantages by the location of good pastors right among them, where their whole time and service may be exerted for good and growth. To this end the executive committee recommends assistance by the State Mission Board.

Home missions, foreign missions and State missions were each enthusiastically considered and larger work pitched, from which we hope to see a plentiful fruitage in the near future.

The orphanage came in for a large share of the time and attention of the association, and it is with pride that we can tell you that this institution is in a prosperous and growing condition. Here the Baptists are making good and useful men and women out of little, helpless children, who are taken in at almost all ages from infants to fifteen years of age. In the institution we have, in round numbers, two hundred and forty children, who are on their way to useful manhood and womanhood. Who wants to help this work? May God's richest blessings rest on it.

The report of the committee on the laymen's work was laid before the body by J. B. Harris and was received and considered with deep interest. After due discussion the report was adopted and a resolution passed authorizing the laymen's committee next year to undertake the raising of a sum equal to one dollar per member of the males in the association. To this end an account should be kept with each church, thus enabling all to see where the interest in the cause is most deeply felt. One dollar will impoverish no one, but if we gather together one dollar for each male member it will be a creditable sum and will accomplish much. The committee on the laymen's movement for next year is composed of the following brethren: J. B. Harris, W. M. Lemmons, C. P. Hetrick, Jake Cronmer and Joe Glynch.

The report on temperance was submitted by J. W. Shelor. The facts given in the report were commented on by him and he recited the evil influence exerted on the man who uses intoxicants. The moderate use is at the expense of the liver, excessive use at the expense of the kidneys and any use at all at the expense of spiritual growth and reputation. The consumer of alcoholic liquors can exert little influence for higher morals or better manhood.

Education was next, and this subject received much consideration at the hands of the body. P. P. Sullivan read the report on education generally, and also the report of the committee on the mountain school to be located at Long Creek. In the discussion of these reports it was made known that the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has appropriated a large sum of money to assist in the establishment and maintenance of this school, but the people of Long Creek and the Beavertown Association must show their interest in a material way by contributing to the extent of their reasonable ability. We feel sure that Long Creek will do all in her power to carry out such an enterprise in her midst, for when it shall have been established the people will have one of the most desirable neighborhoods in the whole of upper Carolina. It will make that mountain valley blossom as a rose. The committee to handle this work will be named by the moderator at an early date, after he shall have had time to confer with different brethren interested as to who is the most available man to head the work. It is a big task, but he can and will do the work, and will erect for himself a monument more lasting than marble.

The following executive committee was elected for the incoming year: P. P. Sullivan, J. W. Shelor, J. B. Harris, T. M. Elrod, H. C. Walker, M. A. Wood and Rev. L. M. Lyda. Upon motion, a committee was appointed to ascertain the names of the members of the churches of this association who have died since the last session of the body and make suitable mention of them in the minutes. This committee requests some member of each church to send the names, the dates of birth and death of each departed brother or sister, with such other information as may be desirable, either to J. W. Shelor at Walhalla, or P. P. Sullivan at Westminster.

The association directed the clerk to print in the minutes of this session of the association such parts of the minutes of the W. M. U. as they may desire.

The next session of the association will meet with the Walhalla Baptist church, on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August, 1914.

## It's Punk All Right.

(Anderson Mail.)

From the way he is marrying couples in Oconee that new notary public, H. P. Holleman, must think he is a "holy man." (That's punk, but this column must be filled.)

The Walhalla post office was struck by lightning last Sunday. With that new live-wire postmaster, the place will be well insulated hereafter.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

(Continued from Page 8.)

—R. T. Jaynes, Esq., returned yesterday from an extensive business trip to Savannah, Ga., Columbia, Rock Hill and other points in this State.

—Martin Puckhaber, of Charleston, is in Walhalla for some time visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brandt, and among other relatives.

—R. C. Carter, of the Carter Co., left Monday for the Eastern markets, where he will place orders for the fall trade, buying for both the Carter Company and the Carter Hardware Co., of Walhalla.

—Miss Mabel Myer, formerly of Jacksonville, Fla., but now of Spartanburg, is spending a few days at the home of her friend, Mrs. F. C. Bischoff. Miss Myer's many friends are pleased to meet her again.

—Following are the recent arrivals at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Busch: Paul Browne, Anderson; Stanley Newman, back from the mountains; Charles E. Jones, returned from Columbia; Misses Elma and Emma Wheeler, Atlanta. The Misses Wheeler are here for a stay of a month.

—Miss Pauline Hughes, of Clemson College, arrived in Walhalla last Friday to spend a three weeks' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hughes, near town. Miss Hughes has been holding a responsible position in the president's office at Clemson for some time and will return to the college at the opening of the coming session.

—Robt. H. Boyd, of Jordan, was a business visitor to Walhalla Monday. He informed us that the current was turned on the wires of the Coneross Light and Power Company last Friday, but had to be shut off on Saturday on account of a slight break in the race. "Bob" has a number of friends in Walhalla who are always pleased to have him call on them.

—J. B. Phillips, of the Chauga section of the county, suffered painful injury last Monday while he and his son were at work hewing cross-ties. Mr. Phillips and his son Rufus were at work close to each other, the son making a mislick with his axe, which glanced, striking Mr. Phillips on the right knee, splitting it open. Dr. J. J. Thode was called and gave the injured man immediate attention, and he is doing as well as could be expected considering the severity of the injury.

—A. D. McKinney, of Inglenook, (Birmingham), Ala., is spending a few days in Walhalla with his kinsman, W. A. Grant, and family. Mr. McKinney is on his way to Cashier's Valley, N. C., where he will spend a short while among relatives before returning to his home in Birmingham. It has been quite a while since he has been in this section of the country, though he was at one time more or less familiar with this section of South Carolina and adjoining territory in the Old North State. About twenty years ago, Mr. McKinney tells us, while on a visit to the old McKinney homestead in Cashier's Valley, he ran across, among old papers belonging to his grandfather, the late James McKinney, a copy of The Keowee Courier, Vol. 1, No. 1. We doubt if there is another copy of that issue in existence, for indeed the copy referred to is still preserved. Mr. McKinney will be in Walhalla until Friday of this week.

—R. L. Boggs, of the New Hope section, is the "Good Samaritan" of The Courier office for this week, he having dropped into the office yesterday for a pleasant chat, and incidentally dropped us one of his 35-pound "Ironclad" watermelons, than which we have not seen a finer in many a day. We always enjoy Mr. Boggs's visits to our office. He tells good stories about his farming, and he invariably "illustrates" his stories in the most charming manner. He brought with him yesterday a quantity of his fine honey, and in the production of this he also excels, using patent gums and improved methods of mating and caring for his bees. The honey he sells is as clear as crystal throughout, and he can sell you any flavor you want, for he "pastures" his bees systematically, and they are robbed systematically. The secret of Mr. Boggs's success as a farmer is that he is "conducting a business" and not merely running a farm. Systematic accounting on the farm makes the farm pay a dividend when nothing else will.

## DEATH OF MRS. J. W. CANNON.

Good Woman Called to Her Reward.  
Local Matters of Interest.

Little River, Aug. 12.—Special: Crops are looking fine in this section. The protracted service at this place, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Abercrombie, during the past week, has closed. There was no unusual interest taken.

Revs. J. O. Burnett and Wade Lewis, of Pickens, have also been conducting a very good meeting. Owing to the rainy weather the attendance was not large.

Miss Fannie Duncan is recovering from a case of typhoid fever, to the delight of her many friends.

F. G. Holden, of Georgia, was circulating among friends here the past week. He visited his brother, Wm. Holden, of Fall Branch, who is suffering with cancer.

Little Ernest and Alice Whitten, of Salem, spent part of last week with their grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Holden.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. J. W. Cannon was circulated over this community last Monday. She was taken sick early Sunday morning, and about 11 o'clock Sunday night she breathed her last. Her maiden name was Miss Sarah Bryce, and she was born March 22, 1843, being 70 years old last March. She was happily married to J. W. Cannon in 1861, and to this union nine or ten children were born. J. W. J. S. and W. M. Cannon, Mrs. F. M. Whitmore, Mrs. D. E. Crenshaw and Miss Nancy Cannon, of Salem; A. Cannon, of Pickens; W. R. Cannon, of Texas, and Mrs. W. M. Kelley, of Walhalla, are children of the deceased. Shortly before the end Mrs. Cannon called her people around her and told them her time had come and that she was going to a better world than this, and for them to prepare to meet her there. She talked freely during her sickness about her spiritual condition and was at peace with God. She was conscious to the end and told her people when it was coming. For many years she had been a consistent member of the Methodist church, and in her death another good woman has been called to her reward. A loving mother, devoted wife and good neighbor has gone. Let us not weep, but rejoice in the knowledge that our loss is her eternal gain. After appropriate funeral services, conducted by Rev. C. R. Abercrombie, at 4 p. m., August 11th, the remains were lowered to their last resting place in the cemetery at the new Methodist church in Salem, in the presence of a large congregation of sorrowing friends. The bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of many friends in their time of sorrow. Bryan Holden is spending some time with relatives in Georgia.

## The Best Pain Killer.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when applied to a cut, bruise, sprain, burn or scald, or other injury of the skin, will immediately remove all pain. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., says: "It robs cuts and other injuries of their terrors. As a healthy remedy its equal don't exist." Will do good for you. Only 25c. at all druggists. adv.

## Burned to Death Under Auto.

Troy, Ala., Aug. 10.—Q. P. Davis, of Elba, Ala., met a horrible death at a point between here and Montgomery early to-day, when he was pinned beneath the wreck of his automobile and burned. Four men who were in the car with Davis were forced to witness the tragedy they were helpless to avert. The car was running at a high speed when a tire burst, throwing it into a deep ditch. The machine turned turtle and Davis was pinned beneath it. Gasoline from the tank was ignited by the oil lamps and Davis's companions, who had been thrown clear of the wreck, were powerless to rescue.

## Advertised Mail.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for in the Walhalla post office for the week ending August 11, 1913:

Block, Skuttz; Sims, Charlie; Whitmore, Jessie.

When calling for the above please say they are advertised.

E. M. Sloan, Postmaster.

## Minister Praises this Laxative.

Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Allison, Ia., in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are such perfect pills no home should be without them." No better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c. at all druggists. adv.

## Diaz Won't Leave Paris.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Gen. Porfirio Diaz, former President of Mexico, authorized the publication to-day that he has no intention of going to Japan. It was reported abroad that he purposed proceeding to Tokio to meet his nephew, Gen. Felix Diaz, whom it was alleged he would accompany back to Mexico.

The former President appears to be in excellent health. He is well informed as to conditions in Mexico, but declines to express any opinion on the situation.

## North Carolina Bank Closed.

Charlotte, Aug. 9.—By order of the State Corporation Commission, Yadkin Valley Bank, at East Bend, Yadkin county, has been closed and J. Lee Norman, the cashier, has been taken into custody. An alleged shortage of from \$6,000 to \$8,000 is reported by State Bank Examiner Hubbard, who made the examination. The bank is a State institution with a capital of \$5,000; resources of \$30,000, and deposits of \$25,000, according to the last official report.

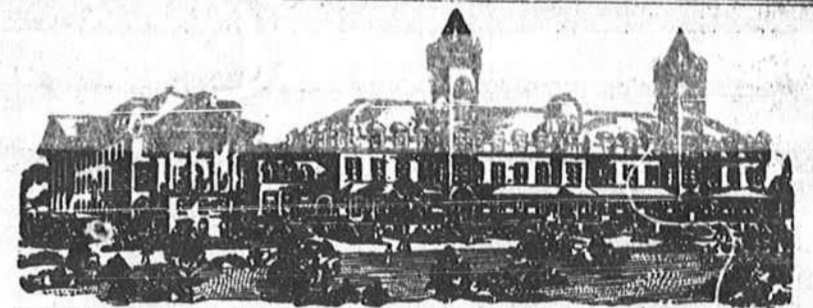
Even the man with an iron will knows his heirs can break it.

## Oil Fire in Anderson.

Anderson, Aug. 9.—A spectacular fire here this afternoon at the Texas Oil Company plant caused a loss of about \$8,000. About four carloads of lubricating oils were destroyed, together with two auto trucks and a car of roofing. The fire was caused by some gasoline igniting. O. F. Taylor, manager of the plant, drew some gasoline from a drum to put in his automobile, when in some manner the gasoline tank took fire, and in a few seconds the whole plant was in flames. Firemen saved surrounding property, though the water pressure was weak. The large storage tanks containing kerosene and gasoline were uninjured.

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Seems a long time to endure the awful burning, itching, smarting, skin-disease known as "tetter"—another name for eczema. Seems good to realize, also, that Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has proven a perfect cure. Mrs. D. L. Kenney writes: "I cannot sufficiently express my thanks to you for your Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. It has cured my tetter, which has troubled me for over fifty years." All druggists, or by mail, 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo., Philadelphia, Pa. ad.



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